

SB0712



99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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Introduced 2/3/2015, by Sen. Emil Jones, III

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

755 ILCS 65/45

Amends the Disposition of Remains Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning liability under the Act.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning civil law.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Disposition of Remains Act is amended by
5 changing Section 45 as follows:

6 (755 ILCS 65/45)

7 Sec. 45. Liability. There ~~There~~ shall be no liability for a
8 cemetery organization, a business operating a crematory or
9 columbarium or both, a funeral director or an embalmer, or a
10 funeral establishment that carries out the written directions
11 of a decedent or the directions of any person who represents
12 that the person is entitled to control the disposition of the
13 decedent's remains. Nothing herein shall be intended or
14 construed to reduce or eliminate liability for the gross
15 negligence or willful acts of any cemetery organization,
16 business operating a crematory or columbarium or both, funeral
17 director or embalmer, or funeral establishment.

18 (Source: P.A. 94-561, eff. 1-1-06.)